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SHELTER HOME WOULD BRING BIG RESULTS, SAYS JUDGE GOODNOW

**Blames Economic Situation for Big Part in Prostitution
—Eighty-five Percent of Morals' Court Girls Left
School Before They Were Fourteen—Urges
Step in Right Direction**

The great part that the economic situation plays in causing prostitution was emphasized by Judge Chas. H. Goodnow, who presided over the morals court for a year, in an appeal he made for the proposed Shelter Home for women of the streets.

"We discovered that 85 per cent of the girls who came into the morals court in a year had left school before they were 14," Judge Goodnow said to a Day Book reporter, "and they had absolutely no training that would enable them to earn a living except by prostitution.

"The economic situation is responsible for much of it. Prostitution can only be checked when a girl is able to earn enough honestly to give her enough sufficient food, a roof over

her head and a few of the good things of life.

"Girls are put into the factories when they are 14, immature in mind and judgment and we expect them to remain good the rest of their lives.

"If the economic situation could be changed so these girls would be put beyond the want staring them in the face, the question of daily bread, a place of shelter, something for clothing, prostitution would not be a temptation to them.

"Take the girl who is already in the life. We offer her reform and tell her we will get her work in a factory or store. In neither place will she be able to earn the money she can earn by prostitution and she soon discovers that so far as the economic